

About Boise Idaho

Boise, the "City of Trees", is the capital and largest metropolitan area in Idaho. Approximately 400,000 people live in the Treasure Valley.

The state of Idaho is known for its majestic mountain ranges, streams and rivers, forests, mountain lakes and outdoor recreational experiences. Boise is transected by the Boise River and a greenbelt walking/biking path throughout the city. Bogus Basin Ski Resort is a short drive from the hospital, and the mountain town of McCall and world class skiing in Sun Valley are both just hours away. Miles of mountain biking and hiking trails are located within minutes of the hospital grounds. The International Mountain Bicycling Association has ranked the Boise/Eagle area as one of the Gold Medal mountain biking trail systems in the world.

Local sporting events include Boise State Bronco athletics, Idaho Steelheads hockey, Idaho Stampede basketball, and Boise Hawks baseball. Performance and Fine Arts venues include Idaho Shakespeare Festival, The Boise Contemporary Theater, The Boise Philharmonic, The Boise Art Museum, and Ballet Idaho. The community is active in both music and events, with Live After Five concert series, the Boise Farmers Market, and First Thursday celebrations.



Sun Valley, Idaho 2018

Boise Veterans Affairs Medical Center

500 West Fort Street
Boise, Idaho 83702

Application Information at:
https://www.boise.va.gov/resources/Boise_VA_Medical_Center_Pharmacy_Resident_Program.asp

Application via PhORCAS due on the second Monday in January.

ASHP Program Code: 83013
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Postgraduate Year 2

Psychiatric Pharmacy Residency Program

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PGY2 Psychiatric Pharmacy Residency

The Boise Veterans Affairs Medical Center is a progressive teaching facility accredited by The Joint Commission and affiliated with the University of Washington School of Medicine, providing a full range of patient care services, with state-of-the-art technology, education and research.

The Boise VA offers a PGY2 Psychiatric Pharmacy residency program Accredited by the American Society of Health System Pharmacists. There is one PGY2 Psychiatric Pharmacy Resident position available each year. The program provides the resident with unique opportunities for leadership, personal, and professional development.

Program Purpose

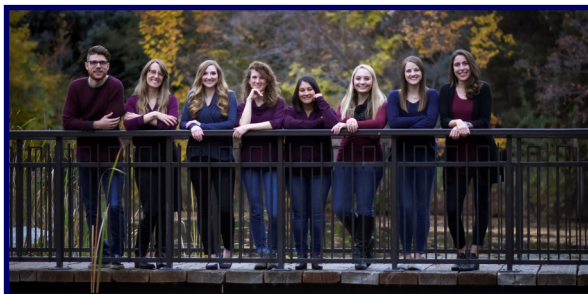
PGY2 pharmacy residency programs build on Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) education and PGY1 pharmacy residency programs to contribute to the development of clinical pharmacists in specialized areas of practice. PGY2 residencies provide residents with opportunities to function independently as practitioners by conceptualizing and integrating accumulated experience and knowledge and incorporating both into the provision of patient care or other advanced practice settings. Residents who successfully complete an accredited PGY2 pharmacy residency are prepared for advanced patient care, academic, or other specialized positions, along with board certification, if available.



Changing leaves in Boise, Idaho, the City of Trees

Clinical Training Site

The Boise VA is the clinical training site for the PGY2 pharmacy residency program, and is a teaching site for a range of interdisciplinary trainees, including medicine, nursing, psychology, and pharmacy. The Boise VA also offers 4 PGY1 pharmacy resident positions, 1 infectious disease pharmacy fellowship, and 3 PGY2 Ambulatory Care pharmacy residency positions. The resident serves as a clinical mental health pharmacist for the resident continuity clinic, completing consults and shared medical appointments. Additionally, the resident will complete a quality improvement project and a medication use evaluation.



2020-2021 PGY1/PGY2 Pharmacy Residents

Residency Learning Opportunities

The PGY2 Psychiatric Pharmacy resident will manage patients with psychiatric and neurologic disorders under an independent scope of practice, privileged and credentialed for primary care, pain management, and psychiatric disorder specialty.

Required Learning Experiences (8 weeks)

- Outpatient Psychiatry
- Inpatient Psychiatry
- Mental Health Residential Rehabilitation Treatment

Required Longitudinal Learning Experiences

- Leadership and Management Seminars
- Primary Care Mental Health Integration

Available Elective Experiences

- Memory Care Clinic
- Pain Management Clinic
- Geriatric Psychiatry
- Mental Health Academia
- Program Management

Additional Opportunities

- Teaching Certificate offered through Idaho State University College of Pharmacy
- Didactics with University of Washington Psychiatry Residency Program
- Interdisciplinary Quality Improvement Curriculum



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Application Qualifications and Selection

Applicants must possess the Doctor of Pharmacy degree from a school or college of pharmacy accredited by the American Council on Pharmaceutical Education, be a U.S. citizen, have successfully completed an ASHP accredited PGY-1 residency, and be licensed to practice in one of the 50 states, territories of the United States, or District of Columbia. Interviews will be scheduled on evaluation of application. Applicants will be ranked for selection by the Residency Program Committee based on qualifications and a personal interview.

Applicants are required to participate in the ASHP Resident Matching Program. Applicants must also apply to each program independently of the Match. Materials to be posted on PhORCAS by the second Monday in January.

- Two letters of recommendation
- Curriculum Vitae
- Pharmacy school transcripts
- Letter of intent (500-750 words)

Appointment is contingent upon satisfactory completion of a physical exam, including negative drug test. Applicants must meet requirements for federal employment.

